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COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY,

Executive Department.

WHEREAS, it has been represented to me that LEROY D. KING, who did, on the 25th day of September last, kill and murder James Laakey, in the county of Madison, has fled from justice and is now going at large;

Now, therefore, I, BERTIAH MAGOFFIN, Governor of the Commonwealth of Kentucky, do hereby offer a reward of TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTY DOLLARS for the apprehension of said KING, and his delivery to the jailer of Madison county, within one year from the date hereof.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the Commonwealth to be affixed. Done at Frankfort, this 27th day of Oct., A. D. 1860, and in the 69th year of the Commonwealth.

L. S.

By the Governor: B. MAGOFFIN.

THOS. B. MONROE, JR., Secretary of State.

By Jas. W. Tate, Assistant Secretary.

DESCRIPTION.

Leroy D. King, formerly of North Carolina, is about six feet high, rather thin in flesh, will weigh about 145 pounds, red complexion, whiskers scattering about his face. He wears a dark hat; will always laugh when talked to; rather dark, sandy-colored hair.

oct29 w&t-w3m.

Proclamation by the Governor.

\$250 REWARD.

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY,

Executive Department.

WHEREAS, it has been made known to me that JAMES WILLIAMS, who killed and murdered one Daniel B. Snavert, on the 23rd day of March, 1858, in the county of Caldwell, has fled from justice and is now going at large;

Now, therefore, I, BERTIAH MAGOFFIN, Governor of the Commonwealth of Kentucky, do hereby offer a reward of Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars for the apprehension of said WILLIAMS, and his delivery to the jailer of Caldwell county, within one year from the date hereof.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand, and caused the seal of the Commonwealth to be affixed. Done at Frankfort, this 15th day of November, A. D. 1860, and in the 69th year of the Commonwealth.

L. S.

By the Governor: B. MAGOFFIN.

THOS. B. MONROE, JR., Secretary of State.

By Jas. W. Tate, Assistant Secretary.

DESCRIPTION.

James Williams is about 6 feet in height; weighs about 150 pounds; very straight and well-formed; very dark-skinned; dark, straight hair, and very keen, piercing black eyes; general expression of countenance bad; rather grim and austere in his manner; talks very little; rather dissipated in his habits, but never drinks to excess; about 25 years of age. He usually goes well dressed, and presents a genteel appearance in his manners and address. He is now in Texas, and was heard from in Texas only a few weeks ago.

nov16 3m.

Proclamation by the Governor.

\$200 REWARD.

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY,

Executive Department.

WHEREAS, it has been made known to me that ISAAC HALL and HENRY KING, who were confined in the jail of Montgomery county, under the charge of felony, have escaped from said jail, and are now going at large;

Now, therefore, I, BERTIAH MAGOFFIN, Governor of the Commonwealth of Kentucky, do hereby offer a reward of One Hundred Dollars each, for the apprehension of the said Isaac Hall and Henry King, and their delivery to the jailer of Montgomery county, within one year from the date hereof.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand, and caused the seal of the Commonwealth to be affixed. Done at Frankfort, this 15th day of November, A. D. 1860, and in the 69th year of the Commonwealth.

L. S.

By the Governor: B. MAGOFFIN.

THOS. B. MONROE, JR., Secretary of State.

By J. W. Tate, Assistant Secretary.

Proclamation by the Governor.

\$500 REWARD.

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY,

Executive Department.

WHEREAS, it has been made known to me that THOMAS EVANS, convicted at the October term, 1860, of the Circuit Court for Frankfort, in the crime of murder, and his delivery to the jailer of Frankfort county within one year from the date hereof.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand, and caused the seal of the Commonwealth to be affixed. Done at Frankfort, this 14th day of October, A. D. 1860, and in the 69th year of the Commonwealth.

L. S.

By the Governor: B. MAGOFFIN.

THOS. B. MONROE, JR., Secretary of State.

By Jas. W. Tate, Assistant Secretary.

DESCRIPTION.

The fugitive, Thomas Evans, is about 21 or 22 years of age; 5 feet 10 or 11 inches high, and inclined to be a little stoop-shouldered; has light hair; is of a light complexion; has blue eyes, and a delicate appearance; stands in line in length, on the left eyebrow, near the outer end thereof. He weighs about 170 or 180 pounds, and is, upon the whole, rather good-looking. He is slow of speech, of rather an effeminate and fine voice.

oct17, 1860-w&t-w3m.

Proclamation by the Governor.

\$300 REWARD.

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY,

Executive Department.

WHEREAS, it has been made known to me that ALEXANDER WARREN, under indictment in the Mercer Circuit Court, for the murder of Benj. C. Blincoe, has escaped from the Mercer county jail, and is now going at large;

Now, therefore, I, BERTIAH MAGOFFIN, Governor of the Commonwealth of Kentucky, do hereby offer a reward of THREE HUNDRED DOLLARS for the apprehension of said WARREN, and his delivery to the jailer of Mercer county, within one year from the date hereof.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand, and caused the seal of the Commonwealth to be affixed. Done at Frankfort, this 14th day of Sept., A. D. 1860, and in the 69th year of the Commonwealth.

L. S.

By the Governor: B. MAGOFFIN.

THOS. B. MONROE, JR., Secretary of State.

By J. W. Tate, Assistant Secretary.

DESCRIPTION.

Warren is a man about 55 years of age; gray hair and eyes; about 5 feet 11 inches high; of delicate appearance; and has a scar upon his neck at the windpipe, the result of attempted suicide. He formerly lived in the county of Madison.

Sept. 17, 1860-3m.

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Proclamation by the Governor.

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY,

Executive Department.

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Know, therefore, that I, BERTIAH MAGOFFIN, Governor of the Commonwealth of Kentucky, by virtue of the power in me vested by the law chartering the Deposit Bank of Owensboro, Daviess county, approved March 5th, 1860, do proclaim and declare the said Bank is authorized to commence operations and do business under the charter and all laws pertaining to the same.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the Commonwealth to be affixed. Done at Frankfort, this 26th day of October, A. D. 1860, and in the 69th year of the Commonwealth.

L. S.

By the Governor: B. MAGOFFIN.

THOS. B. MONROE, JR., Secretary of State.

By Jas. W. Tate, Assistant Secretary.

COMMITTED TO JAIL

ON the 4th inst., as a runaway slave, a negro man calling himself JAMES MONROE.

When arrested he had in his possession a pass dated December 24, 1858, in Franklin County, State of Kentucky, which he claims was given to him by Wm. Sneed, of Danville, Ky., who he says holds his free papers. He is a dark mulatto or copper color, aged about 28 years; five feet two inches high; weighs about one hundred and fifty pounds; stout built; has a full black eye; a small scar on his forehead, and several on his neck, which have the appearance of whip marks. He had on, when arrested, a light colored coat and pantaloons, blue cloth cap, and shoes very much worn. The owner of said negro man is hereby notified to come forward, prove property, and pay charges, or he will be dealt with according to law.

H. R. MILLER, J. F. C.

Frankfort Aug. 15, 1860-tf.

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Valedictory.

The term for which the undersigned engaged to edit the Commonwealth expires with this number. During my brief connection with this paper, I have endeavored to combat fairly what I considered to be the errors of the late Breckinridge party, and to advocate the maintenance of the Constitution, and the enforcement of the laws. It may be consoling to those meddlesome and impertinent editors who, proceeding upon the assumption that I was a fugitive from the Democratic party, took great pains to misstate my position—to know that I have never surrendered the fundamental principle of Democracy, viz: *Non-intervention by Congress with the domestic affairs of the States and Territories.*

When Major Breckinridge consented to lead a faction that was in direct antagonism with this great principle, I, in common with over twenty-five thousand Democrats in Kentucky, refused to follow him. Believing from the first, that the sectional dogmas of the secession party were subversive of our institutions, pregnant with sectional strife, and promotive of the triumph of Black Republicanism, I felt it to be not only a privilege, but a duty, to join with the Union men of Kentucky in resisting the spread of such pernicious doctrines. The proprietors of the Commonwealth were perfectly aware of my antecedents and of my preferences when they offered me the position of campaign editor of their paper. The defection of the Breckinridge wing of the Democratic party having rendered the success of Senator Douglas an impossibility, I sincerely desired that John Bell might carry Kentucky, and labored earnestly to promote that result. True, I voted for Mr. Douglas, but not until I had first satisfied myself that Mr. Bell could carry Kentucky without the votes of the friends of Mr. Douglas.

Whether I am ever connected with another newspaper or not, I am sure that I shall desire nothing more ardently than the complete overthrow of that faction, which by turning traitor to its former principles, destroyed the National Democratic party, and thus secured the election of Abraham Lincoln.

I should have retired from the Commonwealth as quietly as I came into it, but for the fact that my connection with it has been gravely and ostentatiously charged upon me, in a manner implying any quantity of political turpitude upon my part. Because I declined filling the columns of this paper with personal matters, during the late canvass, there are those who are ready to believe that I desire to keep my connection with it a profound secret. Hoping its readers will excuse this, the first and last "personality" of its campaign editor, I beg to bid them a cordial farewell.

J. H. JOHNSON.

MEETING OF SOUTHERN LEGISLATURES.—In view of the excited state of the Southern mind and the probable action of the Southern Legislatures in reference to the recent election, it becomes a matter of interest to know when these Legislatures meet, although some of them will convene in special session. The following States hold legislative sessions biennially, viz: Delaware, North Carolina, Alabama, Mississippi, Arkansas, Florida, Tennessee, Louisiana, Kentucky, Maryland, Missouri, and Texas. Alabama meets November 12; Arkansas, November 5; Delaware, first Tuesday in June; Florida, Georgia, and Texas, first Monday in November; Louisiana, third Monday in January; Maryland, first Wednesday in January; Mississippi, first Monday in January; Missouri, last Monday in December; Tennessee, first Monday in October; North Carolina, fourth Monday in November, and Virginia second Monday in January.

OFFICIAL VOTE OF NEW YORK.—The official returns of New York are now all in. According to the New York Post, Lincoln's majority is 47,557. Morgan, for Governor, running but 2,515 behind Lincoln in the whole State. Since 1856 the total anti-Republican vote has diminished 6,306. It will be recollected that while Fremont had 80,129 plurality over Buchanan, he lacked 44,475 of a clear majority over all his opponents. The total electoral vote this year was, Lincoln, 361,733; Fusion, 314,176. The Albany Evening Journal's footings vary slightly from those of the Post. They give Lincoln 361,367, and the Fusion ticket 312,640 votes. Lincoln's majority 49,727.

COMPLIMENTARY.—The Paducah Herald of the 22d inst. contains six articles personally abusive of Governor Magoffin. To be abused by John C. Noble is praise that any honorable gentleman may well be proud of. We congratulate the Governor.

A memorial is in circulation in Maryland, urging the Governor of that State to call a special session of the Legislature, to take into consideration the present exciting condition of the country.

The unanimous selection of the Hon. Alexander H. Stephens and Dr. Perkins, by the citizens of Taliaferro County, Ga., as delegates to the State Convention, is a cheering indication of the growing conservative sentiment of the State.

Convicted.—Hermogene Perry was convicted of the murder of Auguste Droze, in New Orleans, on Friday.

Amos Kendall on Secession.

SECESSION—No. II.

To Strengthen the Union was the Leading Object of Congress in Recommending the Convention in Framing, and the People in Adopting the Present Constitution.

To the PEOPLE OF THE SOUTH:

In our first number we have shown that the States composing the Federal Union from 1778 to 1789, had solemnly pledged their faith to each other in the articles of confederation that the United States should be "perpetual." These articles constituted the Constitution of the United States until 1789, when they were merged into our present Constitution.

We will now show that the object of the change was not to relieve the States from their perpetual obligation, or in any way to weaken the Federal Union, but to give it greater strength and to furnish it with means to perpetuate itself by relieving it from dependence on the States for the execution of its acts.

By the Articles of Confederation, Congress had power to determine the amount of revenue necessary to be raised for the service of the United States, and apportion it among the States; but whether the necessary taxes should be levied, or duties imposed and collected, depended on the State authorities. The consequence was that not long after the close of the revolutionary war, through the refusal or neglect of some of the States to fulfill their Federal obligations in that respect, the United States found themselves without means to support the public credit or to perform the functions then intrusted to them. It, therefore, became necessary that the United States should have power to levy taxes and duties, and collect them without the aid or interposition of the States. This required that the United States should have independent legislative, executive and judicial powers, together with the means of executing their acts and decisions. To such a power had the neglect or misconduct of some of the States brought the affairs of the United States, that there was imminent danger of a dissolution of the Union from the want of self-sustaining powers.

The history of the United States for some years after the close of the Revolutionary war, is replete with difficulties growing out of weak and unstable government, and with expedients proposed by the statesmen of that day, to put an end to them. Finally, the minds of all intelligent and patriotic men settled down in the conviction that an effectual remedy was to be found only in a thorough revision of the Federal Constitution, and the delegation to the United States of sufficient powers to enable them to command respect at home and abroad, and especially to preserve the Federal Union. This conviction found expression in a resolution of Congress, adopted on the 24th of February, 1787, in the following words, viz:

Resolved, That in the opinion of Congress, it is expedient that on the second Monday in May next, a convention of delegates, who shall have been appointed by the several States, be held at Philadelphia, for the sole and express purpose of revising the Articles of Confederation, and reporting to Congress and the several Legislatures, such alterations and provisions therein, as shall, when agreed to in Congress, and confirmed by the States, render the Federal Constitution adequate to the exigencies of Government and the preservation of the Union.

There was already, by compact, a "perpetual Union," and this perpetual Union it was the avowed object of Congress to preserve, by a revision of the "Federal Constitution." South Carolina was present by her delegates, and doubtless voted for the resolution.

The several States concurred in this recommendation, and, in appointing their delegates, recognized and designated the object in view.

Virginia stated the object to be, "devising and discussing such alterations and further provisions as might be necessary to render the Federal Constitution adequate to the exigencies of the Union."

North Carolina stated the object to be "to discuss and decide upon the most effectual means to remove the defects of the Federal Union, and to procure the enlarged purposes which it was intended to effect."

South Carolina stated the object to be "devising and discussing all such alterations, clauses, articles and provisions as might be thought necessary to render the Federal Constitution entirely adequate to the actual situation and the future good government of the confederated States."

All the other States stated their object in similar language, all encouraging the project of giving additional power and strength to the "perpetual Union" already in existence. The object of the convention which framed the Constitution, in this respect, is shown in the letter signed by "George Washington, President," transmitting that instrument, as framed by them, to the President of Congress. He says:

"In all our deliberations on this subject we kept steadily in view that which appears to be the greatest interest of every true American—the consolidation of our Union, in which is involved our prosperity, felicity, safety, perhaps our national existence."

Thus we have distinctly avowed the leading object of Congress which recommended the calling of the convention, and of the convention itself after they had finished their work.

The convention proposed that the constitution framed by them should be submitted for ratification, not to the Legislatures of the States, but to a convention in each State, chosen by the people thereof, and Congress adopted their recommendation. Conventions were held, the proposed Constitution was ratified, and thus became the act of the people. Their acts in ratifying it are set forth in the preamble, and foremost among them is the increased stability of the Union.

"We, the people of the United States," say they, "in order to form a more perfect Union, &c., do ordain and establish this Constitution for the United States of America."

It was unnecessary to repeat in the Constitution that the Union should be perpetual, because on its face it purports to be of unlimited duration, and contains within itself the means of perpetuating its own existence. The ratifications of all the States were unconditional, and in the language of Mr. Madison, bound them "forever."

The State of Vermont was not a member of the "perpetual Union" established by the articles of confederation; but when she came into the Constitution, she expressly recognized its perpetual obligation. By her convention she declared that on her admission into the Union by Congress, the Constitution of the United States should (in their own words) "be binding on us and the people of Vermont forever." Yet who at that day supposed it was more binding on the people of Vermont than it was on the people of South Carolina?

It thus appears that Congress, the State Legislatures, the Philadelphia Convention, and the people of the States, in exchanging

the articles of confederation for our present Constitution, intended to give additional strength and security to the Union. Yet, if the doctrine of secession be sound, they did not understand their own work, and exchanged a "perpetual Union" for one which any discontented State may break up at pleasure. In another article, I shall endeavor to show that the men of that day did not fail in their object, but in fact added strength and stability to the pre-existing Union.

AMOS KENDALL.

A Cool Dose for Igneous Stomachs.

The Hon. A. H. Stephens, of Georgia, administered some sharp thrusts to the Secessionist politicians in his speech at Milledgeville. Referring to the remark of Mr. Cobb, a brother of Secretary Cobb, that the Union had proved a failure, he said:

"A failure in what? In growth? Look at our expansion in national power. Look at our population and increase in all that makes a people great. A failure? Why are we the admiration of the civilized world, and present the brightest hopes of mankind."

"Some of our public men have failed in their aspirations; that is true, and from that comes a great part of our troubles." [Prolonged applause.]

The struggle of Mr. Cobb for the Senatorship gave this point which was appreciated by the audience.

In regard to the declaration of Senator Toombs, who was present, that he asked the State to give him the sword, for if she did not give it to him, as God lived he would take it himself, he said:

"I have no doubt that my honorable friend feels as he says. It is only his excessive ardor that makes him use such an expression; but this will pass off with the excitement of the hour. When the people in their majesty shall speak, I have no doubt that he will bow to their will, whatever it may be, upon the 'sober second thought.'" [Applause.]

Vote of Tennessee.

We have received the vote of all the counties in this State, official and reported, which foot up as follows:

Bell..... 70,706
Breckinridge..... 66,440
Douglas..... 11,428
Bell's plurality over Breckinridge is 4,266, and the majority against Mr. Bell is 7,162. In this summary we have excluded the vote cast in Sequatchee and Cumberland counties, an act of the last Legislature providing that they should vote with the counties from which they were originally taken, and having voted as distinct counties, their votes are illegal, and will be excluded at the official count. Their vote stood:
Bell..... 436
Breckinridge..... 340
Douglas..... 42

The Governor's proclamation announcing the result will be found in our advertising columns this morning.—Nashville Union.

Sharp Practice.

We are gratified at seeing the many favorable notices the press all over the Union are giving our United States Hotel; because we know so well they are deserved.

[Louisville Journal.]

We consider the United States one of the very best Hotels in Louisville. We often dine there.—Louisville Democrat.

If the Journal and Democrat were only half as near right in their politics as they are in their hotel notions, there would be very little difference between us and them.

[Louisville Courier.]

If the Courier only had half as much brain as it has stomach, there would be none at all.

[Louisville Democrat.]

HOGS IN TENNESSEE.—The Gallatin Examiner says: "The weather for the few days past has been sufficiently cold for slaughtering, and many of our farmers have been quite busily employed. Owing to the scarcity of corn in this county, but few hogs were fattened for killing, and the meat now being put up will not more than serve for home consumption—if, indeed, we do not have to draw upon other markets for a little."

HON. H. C. LONGNECKER, late candidate for Congress in this district, has notified Hon. Thomas B. Cooper of his intent to contest his seat in the next Congress. The grounds for such a proceeding are an alleged illegality of the North Whitehall election, in this county, the contestant setting forth that the polls had been kept open after the time prescribed by law.

[Allentown (Pa.) Dem.]

DISCOVERY OF GOLD.—While we are going to press, the report is prevalent about town of the discovery of gold by the workmen engaged at the artesian well. The excitement occasioned by this rumor is easily imagined than described. Several small pieces have been dug out, which are pronounced by those posted in such matters the genuine stuff. Should it prove to be so, the vein is a rich one.—Des Arc (Ark.) Union.

Official Vote of Indiana.

The Indianapolis Journal publishes the official vote of Indiana, which foot up as follows:

Breckinridge..... 12,295
Bell..... 5,339
Douglas..... 115,166
Lincoln..... 139,013
Gerritt Smith received five votes in the entire State.

CAUGHT A COUPLE OF THIEVES.—A pair of Cincinnati sharpers attempted to swindle a couple of rural Kentuckians the other day, by the "little joker." They got the boys' money, but the victims discovered the trick and pitched into the sharpers and whipped the money out of them; so the sharpers got a beating and no money for their pains.

PISTOLS FOR THE SOUTH.—A New York firm last Friday, forwarded to the order of Messrs. Case, Bull & Co., Orangeburg, S. C., five hundred revolvers. This is but one of the many orders which are every day being filled by the prominent firms of New York, revolvers and pistols forming a large proportion of them.

Alabama.

The official vote of Alabama is:
Breckinridge..... 48,891
Bell..... 27,876
Douglas..... 13,646
Breckinridge over Bell..... 20,965
Breckinridge over all..... 7,319

In the case of the Commonwealth vs. Thomason, for homicide, in the Owen Circuit Court, the jury failed to agree.

The Little Pilgrim has the following: Little Susie H., poring over a book in which angels were represented as winged beings, suddenly remarked with much vehemence, "Mamma, I don't want to be an angel—and I needn't need it?" "Why, Susie?" questioned her mother. "Humph! leave off all my pretty clothes, and wear feeders like a hen!"

TYPHOID FEVER.—We understand that the typhoid fever has made its appearance in the Female Academy, Rev. Mr. Hill, Principal, at Shelbyville, Ky. Our informant says twenty-five pupils are down with it at present.

POSTOFFICES DISCONTINUED.—The following Indiana Postoffices have been discontinued: Saluda, Jefferson county; Smithland, Shelby county; Alma, Putnam county; and Indiana Furnace, Vermillion county.

DEATH OF A REPORTER.—Mr. Frank Littlejohn, at one time reporter for the St. Louis Evening News, died at the City Hospital in St. Louis, on Thursday last, while in a fit of delirium tremens.

Said a certain individual to a wag, "I think who has raised a cabbage-head has done more good than all the metaphysicians in the world." "Then," replied the wag, "your mother ought to have the premium."

One of the State Senators appeared in the North Carolina Legislature on Tuesday, wearing the blue cockade.

Mr. Simon Lamb, of Newton, Frederick county, Va., was killed last Saturday by a kick from a horse.

Timothy Jones, of Orange county, Va., committed suicide at Orange court house on Tuesday.

They have pleasant office men at the United States Hotel.

Every prisoner confined in Newgate costs the City of London \$500 per annum.

A wife's farewell to her husband every morning—"Buy, buy."

Hall & Harris are fortunate in the location of their Hotel.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

CROUPS. The sudden changes of our climate are sources of PULMONARY, BRONCHIAL, and ASTHMATIC AFFECTIONS. Experience having proved that simple remedies often act speedily and certainly when taken in the early stages of the disease, recourse should at once be had to "Brown's Bronchial Troches," or Lozenges, let the Cough, Croup, or Irritation of the Throat be ever so slight, as by this precaution a more serious attack may be effectually averted. PUBLIC SPEAKERS and SINGERS will find them effectual for clearing and strengthening the voice. See advertisement. nov26-w4t6m.

ATTENTION, LADIES! J. L. MOORE & SON have just received, per Adams Express, a variety of Cloth and Velvet Cloaks, varying from \$8 to \$60. Styles beautiful. nov26-w4t6m.

Look Before You Purchase! T. S. & J. R. PAGE are now receiving their Fall and Winter Stock, consisting in part of Plain and Fancy Silks, Brocades, French Printed and Plain Merinos, Plaids, Cashmeres, Rob Roy Plaids, Lupins, Bombazines, Lupins Col., M. Laines.

EMBROIDERIES.—Item-stitched and Embroidered Handkerchiefs, Collars, Lace Sets and Collars, Linen and Muslin Sets, Linen and Jacquet Edgings and Insertings, Jaconet, Dimity and Muslin Bands.

LINENS.—Irish Linens, Barnsley's Linen Sheetings, Pillow Linens, Damask Napkins, Henker & Draper Toweling, Table Damask, Fruit Doilies.

GOODS FOR FARMERS.—Kentucky Jeans, Full Cloth, English Tweed, 2-4, 4-4 and 5-4, Plaid Linseys, a full assortment of Bleached and Brown Cottons, and Sheetings, Satinets, Tweeds, Collops, Cassimeres and Vestings.

HOSIERY & UNDERWEAR.—Ladies' Egos, and German Hose, Cotton Merino and L. Wool, Boys' Merino and Cotton Half Hose, Ladies Merino, and Silk Vest, Gents' Cotton, Thread, Silk, and Merino Half Hose, Gents' underwear of all kinds.

QUEENSWARE & GLASSWARE.—We would respectfully call the attention of the public to our extensive assortment of Ware of all kinds and descriptions. Decorated and Plain Band Tea Sets. Plain Tea Sets of 44 pieces, from \$6 50 to \$12; you will find everything that is kept in Crockery Houses in Cities, with the addition of an extensive stock of Glassware, Cut and Plain Bowls, Cut and Pressed Goblets, Cut and Pressed Tumblers by the box or dozen, of all sizes and descriptions; Cut and Pressed Salts, Bohemian Ware, Bisque Figures, Parian Ware, Toilet Sets and Fancy Goods, Wedgewood Tea Pots.

PLATED WARE.—Plated Forks and Knives, Castors, Mugs, Batter Dishes, Russell's Knives, with or without Forks, all of which we propose to sell low for cash or to prompt men on our usual time for settlement, 1st January and 1st July. All we ask is for you to call and examine for yourselves. T. S. & J. R. PAGE. Sep28-2m

MRS. WINSLOW, An experienced Nurse and Female Physician, has a soothing Syrup for children teething, which greatly facilitates the process of teething by softening the gums and reducing all inflammation; will allay all pain, and is sure to regulate the bowels. Depend upon it mothers, it will give rest to yourselves, and relief and health to your infants. Perfectly safe in all cases. See advertisement in another column. June 6, 1860—1y.

ROOMS FOR RENT.

Having determined not to sell the Mansion House property for the present, I desire to rent the Rooms in the first story of the building. They will be rented on very reasonable terms by the month.

Application can be made to JAMES R. PAGE, at the store of T. S. Page & Co., St. Clair st., or to THOS. S. PAGE. May 21, 1860. A. G. HODGES.

THE 1ST AND 2D VOLUMES OF THE KENTUCKY FARMER. Sewed and bound with Muslin Backs and Stiff Paper Covers, can be had at this office at \$1 per volume. A. G. HODGES & CO. Aug. 10, 1860.

H. WHITTINGHAM, NEWSPAPER & PERIODICAL AGENT, FRANKFORT, KENTUCKY. Continues to furnish American and Foreign Weeklies, Monthlys, and Quarterlies, on the best terms. Advance Sheets received from twenty-four Publishers. Each number supplied to complete sets. Nov. 24, 1858.

Notice to Tax Payers. I shall be compelled to return all who have not paid their taxes by the FIFTEENTH OF DECEMBER, 1860, as delinquents. I would therefore advise all who have not done so to pay their taxes before that day, as it will save me much trouble, and themselves some expense. My deputy on the north side of the river being sick, I must request those who live on that side of the river to call at my office and pay their taxes. H. I. TODD, S. F. C. Yeoman copy 3 times. Nov. 30, 1860.

For Sale.

A Negro Woman, a New Carriage, and Jacks and Jennets. I WISH to sell at private sale a valuable NEGRO WOMAN, about 38 or 39 years old—sound and healthy; a fine NEW CARRIAGE, which was made in Salem, Ohio, and has never been used; FOUR JACKS, one 4 years old next spring, and the others younger; and FIFTEEN JENNETS, of different ages. Good bargains will be given. nov30-w4t6m. L. W. MACEY.

NOTICE.

The purchasers of property at the sale of the effects of John Morris, deceased, are hereby notified that their notes are deposited in the Branch Bank of Kentucky, at Frankfort, for collection. The notes will be due on the 12th of December, and all are requested to come forward and meet them promptly. H. I. MORRIS, C. D. MORRIS, dec'd. nov28-w4t21. Ex'roff Jno. Morris, dec'd. [Yeoman copy twice, and charge this office.]

Cure Coughs, Cold, Hoarseness, Inflammation, any Irritation or Soreness of the Throat, Relieve the Hacking Cough in Consumption, Bronchitis, Asthma, and Catarrh, Clear and give strength to the voice of PUBLIC SPEAKERS AND SINGERS. Few are aware of the importance of checking a Cough or "Common Cold" in its first stage; that which in the beginning would yield to a mild remedy, if neglected, soon attacks the Lungs. Brown's Bronchial Troches, containing demulcent ingredients, allay Pulmonary and Bronchial Irritation.

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CHESTNUT GROVE WHISKY C.W. The enterprising proprietor of CHESTNUT GROVE Whisky (The Purest Medicinal Agent ever known) has furnished the community a stimulant Pure, Healthful and Invigorating, at the same time a mild, delicious beverage. It is calculated to do away with the vile drugged stuff that is palmed off on the community, and which is injurious to body and mind. In addition to the certificates beneath, he has received a Diploma from the State Legislature, and additional testimony from Dr. Jackson, of Boston, who testifies under oath to its absolute purity.

CERTIFICATES. Philadelphia, Sept. 9th, 1858. We have carefully tested the sample of Chestnut Grove Whisky which you sent us, and find that it contains none of the Poisonous Substances known as Fusil Oil, which is the characteristic and injurious ingredient of the whiskeys in general use. BOOTH, GABRET & CAMAC, Analytical Chemists.

New York, Sept. 3, 1858. I have analyzed a sample of Chestnut Grove Whisky, received from Mr. Charles Wharton, Jr., of Philadelphia, and having carefully tested it, I am pleased to state that it is entirely free from poisonous or deleterious substances. It is an unusually pure and fine flavored quality of whisky. JAS. R. CHILLTON, Analytical Chemist.

Boston, March 7, 1859. I have made a chemical analysis of commercial samples of Chestnut Grove Whisky, which proves to be free from the heavy Fusil Oils, and perfectly pure and unadulterated. The grain used in this Whisky is derived from the Grain used in manufacturing it. Respectfully, A. A. HAYS, M. D., State Assayer, No. 16, Boylston Street.

For Sale by C. WHARTON, Jr., Sole Principal Agent, No. 116 Walnut street, Philadelphia. nov23-w4t6m.

NEW CLOTHING STORE.

H. STRAUSS would respectfully inform the citizens of Frankfort and the surrounding country that he has opened a Clothing Store in the room on St. Clair street lately occupied by Mr. G. W. Dixon.

He has just received an entirely NEW and COMPLETE STOCK OF WINTER CLOTHING, HEAVY OVERCOATS, NEGRO CLOTHING, &c. He has also a general assortment of Gentlemen's Clothing and Furnishing Goods, Boys and Youth's Clothing, Hats, Caps, Trunks, &c. He can furnish gentlemen with fine business and dress suits of superior quality, and made in the best style, cheap for cash.

Those who wish cheap Clothing are invited to call and examine his stock. Mr. C. N. JOHNSON, who is well known in this community as a Tailor, is employed as salesman in this establishment, where he will be pleased to see his friends. He will attend to Cutting clothes as usual. nov28-w4t6m.

NEGROES FOR SALE.

TWO LIKELY AND HEALTHY NEGRO WOMEN are offered for sale. They are both good cooks and washerwomen; copper colored; one twenty-eight and the other thirty years old. Each of them has a female child; one of the children is eighteen months and the other seven months old, and very likely and healthy. For further particulars inquire at this office. Frankfort, nov14-w4t6m.

STATEMENT Of the condition of the AETNA INSURANCE COMPANY, on the first of July, 1860, as required by the laws of the State of Kentucky. The name of the Corporation is AETNA INSURANCE COMPANY, located at Hartford, Conn. The Capital is fifteen hundred thousand dollars, and is paid up.

The Assets of the Company are:

	Par Value.	Market Value.
Real estate unincumbered, Money due the company secured by mortgage, Cash in hand and in bank, Cash in hands of agents and in transit.....		\$77,499 31 287 15 144,161 90 215,090 21
44 Mortgage Bonds, 7 1/2 cent, semi-ann. interest, 25 Jersey City Water B'ds, 6 1/2 cent, semi-annual interest.....	\$44,000 00	44,000 00
38 Mortgage Bonds, 6 1/2 cent, semi-annual interest.....	38,000 00	38,000 00
25 Jersey City Water B'ds, 6 1/2 cent, semi-annual interest.....	25,000 00	25,000 00
Hartford City Bonds, 6 1/2 cent, semi-annual interest.....	50,000 00	50,000 00
23 Rochester City Bonds, 7 1/2 cent, semi-annual int. 10 Brooklyn City Bonds, 6 1/2 cent, semi-annual int. 5 Milwaukee City Bonds, 10 1/2 cent, semi-annual int. United States Treas. notes and accrued interest.....	25,000 00 10,000 00 5,000 00 50,000 00	25,000 00 10,000 00 5,000 00 51,489 59
United States Stock, 5 1/2 cent, semi-annual int. State of Kentucky, 6 1/2 cent, semi-annual int. State of Tennessee, 6 1/2 cent, semi-annual int. State of New York, 6 1/2 cent, semi-annual int. State of Missouri, 6 1/2 cent, semi-annual interest.....	150,000 00 10,000 00 10,000 00 25,000 00 50,000 00	156,750 00 10,400 00 10,400 00 28,000 00 50,750 00
State of Ohio, 6 1/2 cent, semi-annual int. (1860) State of Ohio, 6 1/2 cent, semi-annual int. (1856) State of Indiana, 2 1/2 cent, semi-annual int. State of Michigan, 6 1/2 cent, semi-annual interest.....	25,000 00 25,000 00 60,000 00 25,000 00	27,000 00 27,000 00 37,200 00 25,000 00
Delaware and Hudson Canal Co. Bond, 6 1/2 cent, semi-annual interest.....	5,434 30	5,434 39
50 shares Hartford and N. Haven R. R. Co. stock 250 shares Conn. River R. R. Co. stock.....	50,000 00 25,000 00	62,500

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June 27, 1860—Jy. Pres't of the Board.

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The work will contain about 600 pages printed on fine paper, with clear type, and superior law binding.

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A. C. KEENON'S BOOK BINDERY.

A. C. KEENON informs his friends and customers, that he still continues the Book Binding business, in all its branches, his work stands, over Hon. J. H. Harlan's office, St. Clair street, and will give his whole attention to its management. He respectfully solicits a continuance of the patronage heretofore extended to the establishment.

CLERKS will be furnished with RECORD BOOKS ruled to any patron, and of the very best quality of paper.

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March 12, 1855—Jy.

SETTLE UP! SETTLE UP!

PERSONS indebted to the estate of Mrs. Margaret Herrensmit, dec'd, will please call at my office and settle their accounts. And those having claims against her estate are requested to present them.

G. W. CRADDOCK,
Sept. 12, 1859—Mf.

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Nov. 13, 1859—Mf. JOHN HENDERSON.

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The limited space of an advertisement precludes the insertion here of the numerous testimonials of approval we have received from all quarters. Suffice it to say, scientific men and others who have examined and thoroughly tested the merits of the Vesper Gas Light, pronounce it the best and cheapest artificial light now known.

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But one change of cars from Lexington and Nicholasville to St. Louis and Chicago, in daylight whereas by any other route two changes are made, both after night!

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May 2, 1860—tf. C. A. WITHERS, Sup't.

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The morning Train makes connection for Chicago, leaving Jeffersonville at 3:30 P. M.

The afternoon Train makes connection via Jeffersonville for the West and South.

The morning Train leaves Louisville at 5 A. M., and 6:20 P. M.—the latter train late for our afternoon Train.

SAMUEL GILL, Superintendent.
May 11, 1860—tf. Yeoman copy.

A. STRAUS, Manufacturer and Wholesale Dealer IN ALL KINDS OF FURNITURE AND CHAIRS, NO. 71 WEST FIFTH STREET, (BETWEEN WALNUT AND VINE STREETS), CINCINNATI, OHIO.

Keeps constantly on hand a large stock of well made Furniture of all kinds at the lowest price. By sending their orders to my Stable, near the Railroad Depot, they can get a load of wood in one hour at any time. Price \$3 per cord, or \$1.50 for a Half Cord load. Orders solicited.

Nov. 13, 1859—Mf. JOHN HENDERSON.

COAL AND LUMBER YARD.

THE undersigned would inform the citizens of Frankfort and the surrounding country, that he will keep constantly on hand Tobeys, Kentucky River, Pomeroy and Canal Coal, which he will sell at the lowest market price, either by the quantity or cart load.

He also keeps all kinds of LUMBER, which he will sell on accommodation terms.

His Coal and Lumber Yard is on the Kentucky river, immediately below the Railroad Bridge, being the same formerly occupied by Todd & Crittenden.

JOHN C. BATES.
September 3, 1860—tf.

HOTTESTER'S STOMACH BITTERS.

The proprietors and manufacturers of HOTTESTER'S CELEBRATED STOMACH BITTERS can appeal with perfect confidence to physicians and citizens generally of the United States, because the article has attained a reputation heretofore unknown. A few facts upon this point will speak more powerfully than volumes of bare assertion or blazoning puffery. The consumption of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters for the last year amounted to over a half-million bottles, and from its manifest steady increase in times past, it is evident that during the coming year the consumption will reach near one million bottles. This immense amount could never have been sold but for the rare medicinal properties contained in the preparation, and the sanction of the most prominent physicians in those sections of the country where the article is best known, who not only recommend the Bitters to their patients, but are ready at all times to give testimonials to its efficacy in all cases of stomachic derangements and the diseases resulting therefrom.

This is not a temporary popularity, obtained by extraordinary efforts in the way of trumpeting the qualities of the Bitters, but a solid estimation of an invaluable medicine, which is destined to be as enduring as time itself.

Hostetter's Stomach Bitters have proved a Godsend to regions where fever and ague, and various other bilious complaints have counted their victims by hundreds. To be able to state confidently that the "Bitters" are a certain cure for the Dyspepsia and like diseases, is to the proprietors a source of unalloyed pleasure. It removes all morbid matter from the stomach, purifies the blood, and imparts renewed vitality to the nervous system. It gives to the system, energy, and vigor, and the restoration of health. It operates upon the stomach, liver, and other digestive organs, mildly but powerfully, and soon restores them to a condition essential to the healthy discharge of the functions of nature.

Elderly persons may use the Bitters daily as per directions on the bottle, and they will find in it a stimulant peculiarly adapted to comfort declining years, as it is pleasant to the palate, invigorating to the system, and a tonic, and regenerating generally. We have the evidence of thousands of aged men and women who have experienced the benefit of using this preparation while suffering from stomach derangements and general debility; acting under the advice of physicians, they have abandoned all deleterious drugs and fairly tested the merits of this article. A few words to the gentler sex. There are certain periods when their cares are so harassing that many of them sink under the trial. The relation of mother and child is so absorbingly tender, that the mother, especially if she be young, is apt to forget her own health in her extreme anxiety for her infant. Should the period of maternity arrive during the summer season, the wear of body and mind is generally aggravated. Here, then, is a necessity for a stimulant to recuperate the energy of the system, and enable the mother to bear up under her exhausting trials and responsibilities. Nursing mothers generally prefer the Bitters to all other invigorators that receive the endorsement of physicians, because it is agreeable to the taste as well as certain to give a permanent increase of bodily strength.

All those persons, to whom we have particularly referred above, to-wit: sufferers from fever and ague, malarial fevers, dysentery, indigestion, loss of appetite, and all diseases or derangements of the stomach, superannuated invalids, persons of sedentary occupation, and nursing mothers, will consult their own physical welfare by giving to Hostetter's Celebrated Stomach Bitters a trial.

CAUTION.—We caution the public against cheap imitations of our Bitters, and ask for HOSTETTER'S CELEBRATED STOMACH BITTERS, and see that each bottle has the words "Dr. J. Hostetter's Stomach Bitters" blown on the side of the bottle, and stamped on the metallic cap covering the cork, and observe that our autograph signature is on the label.

Prepared and sold by HOSTETTER & SMITH, Pittsburgh, Pa., and sold by all druggists, grocers, and dealers generally throughout the United States, South America, and Germany.

For sale by all Druggists in FRANKFORT, December 9, 1859—ly.

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